

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| In re Application of |) | |
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| Heinz Bauer |) | Art Unit: 3744 |
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| Application No. 10/573,213 |) | Examiner: John F. Pettitt |
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| For: NATURAL GAS LIQUEFACTION |) | Confirmation No. 4996 |
| PROCESS |) | |

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

BALLARD SPAHR LLP
Customer No. 23859
February 14, 2011

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that an extension of time for the period indicated below be granted in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 to take action required in the application identified in the caption, as reflected by the papers submitted herewith:

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | One Month | \$130.00 | \$65.00* |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Two Months | \$490.00 | \$245.00* |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Three Months | \$1,110.00 | \$555.00* |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Four Months | \$1,730.00 | \$865.00* |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Five Months | \$2,350.00 | \$1,175.00* |

*Small Entity

A credit card payment is submitted *via* EFS Web in the amount of \$940.00, representing the large entity fees for a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) and a Request for a One-Month Extension of Time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1). This amount is

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believed to be correct; however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 14-0629.

Respectfully submitted,
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